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**Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal**

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Inventor(s): Loyd R. Hornback III and Joseph C. Peisert  
Application No. : 08/971,851 Group/Art Unit: 1764  
Filed: October 17, 1997 Examiner: H. Tran  
Title: SURFACE TENSION RELIEVED MOUNTING MATERIAL

**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.**

**1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment Transmittal Letter (1 pg.); Amendment (20 pages)
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/Supplemental IDS
- iv. ☒ Other Associate Power of Attorney (1 pg.)

**2. ☒ A Request for Extension of Time is being filed concurrently.**

**3. Fees** (The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.)

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees or credit any overpayments to: Deposit Account No. 13-3723. **A duplicate copy of this letter for fees processing is enclosed.**
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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